

DWR and STATE WATER BOARD ANNOUNCE PROP 50 INTEGRATED REGIONAL WATER MANAGEMENT IMPLEMENTATION GRANT CALL BACKS to STEP 2, RELEASE OF THE STEP 2 PSP, and STEP 2 APPLICATION WORKSHOPS

The Department of Water Resources (DWR) and the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) have determined the call back list based on review of the IRWMP Implementation Grant Step 1 applications:

Applicant Name	PIN
Bay Area Consolidated:	
• Alameda County Water District	6456
• Bay Area Clean Water Agencies	6770
• Montara Water and Sanitary District	6624
• Santa Clara Valley Water District	7092
Community Foundation of Santa Cruz County	3998
Contra Costa Water District	6964
Greater LA Metro Consolidated:	
• City of Los Angeles	7068
• Santa Monica Bay Restoration Authority	7084
• Watershed Conservation Authority	5956
• West Basin Municipal Water District	7036
County of Humboldt	6584
Mojave Water Agency	5976
Monterey County Water Resources Agency	3816
County of Orange	6504
Pajaro Valley Water Management Agency	5636
County of Plumas	4698
Sacramento County Consolidated:	
• Freeport Regional Water Authority	6884
• Regional Water Authority	6336
Sacramento Valley Consolidated:	
• Butte County Dept of Water & Resource Conservation	5816
• Northern California Joint Exercise of Powers	5796
San Luis and Delta Mendota Water Authority	4676
Santa Ana Watershed Consolidated:	
• Santa Ana Watershed Project Authority	6986
• Yucaipa Valley Water District	5756
Tahoe Resource Conservation District	6398
Ventura County Consolidated:	
• Calleguas Municipal Water District	6984
• Ventura Countywide Integrated Regional Water Management	6462
Maximum grant amount will be limited to \$25 million	

A public meeting has been scheduled to discuss the call back decision and update interested parties regarding the Prop 50 Implementation Grant Program status:

California Environmental Protection Agency
1001 I Street, Second Floor
Coastal Hearing Room
Sacramento, CA 95814
March 17, 2006
10:30 a.m.

Prior to the public meeting, starting at 8:30 a.m., DWR and State Water Board staff will hold an open house to discuss with applicants how their score was determined.

The Final Step 2 proposal solicitation package (PSP) will be available on March 17, 2006. The PSP will be posted at the following websites when it becomes available:

<http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/funding/irwmgp/index.html>

<http://www.grantsloans.water.ca.gov/grants/integregio.cfm>

This PSP is only for those applicants called back to submit an IRWMP Implementation Grant, Step 2 application.

For those applicants completing a Step 2 application, workshops have been scheduled at the following locations and times. Attendees **must** register by calling Joe Yun at (916) 651-9222 by March 17. Some workshops are scheduled for two days; applicants may attend either day (the same material and assistance will be provided on both days):

California Towers Building
3737 Main Street,
Suites 204 and 205 (Magnolia and Victoria Rooms)
Riverside, CA 92501
March 20 and 21, 2006
10 am

Department of Water Resources
Bonderson Building Hearing Room
901 P Street
Sacramento, CA 95814
March 23 and 24, 2006
10 am

Department of Water Resources
San Luis Field Division Office
Administration Building, Conference Room
31770 Gonzaga Road
Gustine, CA 95322
March 29, 2006
10:00 a.m.

NOTE: Located between the O'Neill Forebay and the San Luis Dam, west of Santa Nella off of Highway 152. Please be prepared to provide valid photo identification at the Security Gate.

These workshops will provide assistance with the PSP in general as well as focused assistance for applicants regarding:

- ◆ Call back conditions
- ◆ PAEP
- ◆ Economic Analysis
- ◆ FAAST

During the workshop applicants will be rotating between specific subject stations to provide focused assistance in small groups. The workshops are an opportunity to receive hands-on assistance with portions of the application. The workshops will be most helpful to applicants that have reviewed the PSP and have begun the process of filling out required tables or elements.